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# **President's Zero Accident Council**

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• Solid Waste Operations Complex :

Excluded from USQ

### **Exclusion Reason:**

Excluded from USQ per CPCC-PRO-NS-062, Appendix B

• Canister Storage Building/Interim Storage Area:

Excluded from USQ

## **Exclusion Reason:**

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• Central Plateau Surveillance and Maintenance:

Excluded from USQ

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• Waste Encapsulation Storage Facility:

Excluded from USQ

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• 100 K Facility:

Excluded from USQ

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• Plutonium Finishing Plant :

Excluded from USQ

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• Transportation :

Excluded from USO

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• 324 Facility:

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### **Exclusion Reason:**

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• PFP Ancillary Structures :

Excluded from USO

### **Exclusion Reason:**

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## **Change Summary**

# **Description of Change**

Editorial change consists of updating company terminology (CHPRC to CPCCo) and referenced

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documents (PRC to CPCC), as well as an update to the current procedure templates, including spell check and updated table of contents.

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#### 1.0 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This document establishes the requirements for developing and maintaining the President's Zero Accident Council, a joint management/worker safety council. It also includes expected council activities and functions as they relate to implementation and administration of Central Plateau Cleanup Company (CPCCo) safety programs. Such councils are designed to promote a safe and healthful work environment and achieve exemplary safety performance, in a cooperative effort, utilizing the elements of the U.S. Department of Energy's Voluntary Protection Program (DOE-VPP). They also contribute to the effectiveness and consistency of safety program implementation.

This document partially implements the ISMS Core Function #5, Provide Feedback and Continuous Improvement; and Guiding Principles #1, Line Management Responsibility for Safety and Environmental Requirements, #8, Worker Involvement, and #9, Senior Management Involvement.

Lower-tier safety councils (e.g., Employee Zero Accident Council [EZAC]) guidance and requirements can be found in CPCC-CHRT-SH-40512, *Employee Zero Accident Council*.

This document is a 10 CFR 851 Implementing Document.

### 2.0 OBJECTIVE

A President's level safety council (e.g., President's Zero Accident Council [PZAC]) provides for Project and Program Support organization representation and participation in the health and safety program. The Council, as a minimum:

- Provides safety information and lessons learned from incidents, near-misses, performance trends, concerns, etc.
- Recognizes noteworthy organizational safety performance and contributions
- Grants awards to individuals/teams for significant safety actions or contributions to include (but not limited to)
  - President's Life Saving Award
  - Hero Award

(See Appendix A for description of awards – also listed on the PZAC webpage)

- With support from Company Technical Authorities (CTA), provides interpretation and guidance to help ensure consistent understanding and implementation of safety requirements
- Communicates changing requirements

These and other council topics are presented with the intent and objective that information will flow down to the workforce through the lower tier project- or facility-level EZAC.

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### 3.0 MEMBERSHIP

PZAC membership (representatives) is comprised of employees elected to project- or facility-level EZAC(s) as well as their HAMTC/Building Trades Safety representative(s), safety and health professionals, management sponsors and representatives of this employee-driven committee, senior management, as well as members from the CPCCo VPP Steering Committee and VPP CORE Team, described as follows:

The CPCCo VPP Steering Committee is comprised of the VPP Co-Leads (coordinators), VPP POCs, and VPP Mgmt Mentor from each project, as stated in CPCC-CHRT-MS-40174, *Voluntary Protection Program Steering Committee Charter*, Section 2.1.

The VPP CORE Team is comprised of ESH&Q personnel, including the Director, OS&IH Manager, VPP Coordinators, HAMTC Safety Lead, Communications Specialist, and administrative support.

This core group of employees are referred to as the PZAC representatives for purposes of this document.

All representatives are requested to attend the monthly meetings with management approval.

All other CPCCo or subcontractor attendees are welcome to attend with their management's approval.

**NOTE:** Rotation of project employees/workgroups attending the PZAC meetings is encouraged to provide enhanced opportunity for participation.

### 4.0 RESPONSIBILITIES

PZAC representatives shall be knowledgeable of their roles and responsibilities.

The PZAC responsibilities include:

- Share lessons learned
- · Recognize safety accomplishments
- Discuss health and safety goals/objectives
- Address and track resolution of safety issues/concerns
- Communicate accident experience and trends
- With the support of company Technical Authorities, provides interpretation, guidance, and communication to help ensure consistent understanding, implementation of, and changes to, safety requirements

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### 5.0 MEETING PROCEEDINGS

### 5.1 PZAC Meeting

**NOTE:** Assignment schedule, presentation templates, and guidelines for hosting a PZAC can be found on the PZAC webpage.

Actionee	Step	Action		
OS&IH		SCHEDULE PZAC meetings no less than monthly.		
Manager or delegate		SCHEDULE Projects, by rotation, to plan and facilitate monthly meetings.		
ESH&Q or Project Director or Delegate		ASSIGN EZAC council and VPP representatives to develop meeting theme with three main takeaways/ideas.		
		SCHEDULE Pre-PZAC meeting with hosting EZAC to preview their PZAC agenda and presentation.		
	5.	CONDUCT PZAC meetings.		
OS&IH Manager or designee		RECORD action items <u>AND</u> ENSURE presentation is posted on website.		
		FORWARD Agenda, Attendance Rosters, PowerPoint and Action Items to ^CPCCo Records		
Membership	8.	DISCUSS worker safety and health-related issues.		
		PROVIDE interpretation and guidance to help ensure consistent understanding and implementation of safety requirements.		
		SOLICIT safety suggestions and input for continuous safety improvement.		
OS&IH	11.	COMMUNICATE changing requirements to the membership.		
Manager or designee	12.	TRACK AND STATUS accepted PZAC actions.		
uco.g.i.cc	<ol> <li>REFER council suggestions, recommendations, and worker safety and health-related issues to the responsible management representative.</li> </ol>			
NOTE: In addressing and tracking resolution of safety issues, a Condition Report (CR) should be initiated for conditions that may require analysis, trending, cause determination, or identification and tracking of corrective actions. Refer to CPCC-PRO-QA-052, Issues Management.				
ESH&Q VPP Management Sponsor		PERFORM review of council suggestions, recommendations, and worker safety and health-related issues <a href="#">AND</a> RESOLVE as appropriate.		
OS&IH 15. PUBLISH action items from meeting as application items from meeting as application items.		PUBLISH action items from meeting as applicable.		

designee

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#### 6.0 FORMS

None

### 7.0 RECORD IDENTIFICATION

All records are generated, processed, and maintained in accordance with CPCC-PRO-IRM-10588, *Records Management Processes*.

### **Records Capture Table**

Name of Document	Submittal Responsibility	Retention Responsibility
PZAC Meeting Minutes (may include, but not limited to, attendance rosters, action items and presentations as applicable, as one document)	OS&IH Administrative Assistant	IRM Service Provider

#### 8.0 SOURCES

### 8.1 Requirements

10 CFR 851, Worker Safety and Health Program

DOE O 226.1 (Supp. Rev 0), *Implementation of Department of Energy Oversight Policy*, Attachment 2, Appendix A, Pages A-3-A-4, Worker Feedback

### 8.2 References

CPCC-CHRT-SH-40512, Employee Zero Accident Council

CPCC-PRO-IRM-10588, Records Management Processes

CPCC-PRO-QA-052, Issues Management

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### Appendix A - Description and Criteria for the President's Lifesaving and Hero Awards

Information and forms are found on the PZAC webpage

## **President's Lifesaving Award:**

### Criteria

This is an award for recognizing and honoring employees who have demonstrated caring and courage by taking immediate action **directly attributable to saving a life**.

- Would the individual(s) likely have died without this intervention?
- Is the action directly credited with saving a life? Explain.
- Was the action correct and proper? Explain.
- Was the action timely and prompt? Explain.

## **Hero Award:**

### Criteria

This is an award for recognizing and honoring employees who have demonstrated commitment to safety through some heroic, or "safety significant" action short of actually saving a life.

Did employee demonstrate commitment to safety, exercising some type of heroic effort or "safety significant" action?